

United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.usplo.gov

| APPLICATION NO. | FILING DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. | CONFIRMATION NO. |
|--|-------------|----------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| 10/826,796 | 04/16/2004 | Robert C. Miller | 250543-37900 | 1469 |
| 7590 03/17/2008 | | | EXAMINER | |
| WINSTON & STRAWN, LLP PATENT DEPARTMENT 1700 K STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, DC 20006 | | | PHAN, RAYMOND NGAN | |
| | | | ART UNIT | PAPER NUMBER |
| | | | 2111 | |
| | | | MAIL DATE | DELIVERY MODE |
| | | | 03/17/2008 | PAPER |

NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed 3 (3) in the above-identified application fails to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.97(d) for the reason(s) specified below. Accordingly, the IDS will be placed in the file, but the information referred to therein has not been considered.

The IDS is not compliant with 37 CFR 1.97(d) because:

☐ The IDS lacks a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e).

☐ The IDS lacks the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p).

☐ The IDS was filed after the issue fee was paid. Applicant may wish to consider filing a petition to withdraw the application from issue under 37 CFR 1.313(c) to have the IDS considered. See MPEP 1308.

Ortrappy

571-272-4200 or 1-888-786-0101 Application Assistance Unit Office of Data Management